

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

SB 1821 - HB 2034

February 2, 2016

SUMMARY OF BILL: Deletes a Class C misdemeanor offense and prohibition of importing, possessing, or transferring live skunks into Tennessee.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 70-4-401, the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency has authority and oversight for possession and trafficking of live wildlife.
- Adding skunks to the list of species that may be legally possessed will not increase state expenditures nor have any significant fiscal impact on the agency personnel operating the captive wildlife program.
- There will not be a sufficient decrease in the number of prosecutions for state or local government to experience any significant decrease in revenue or expenditures.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Krista M. Lee".

Krista M. Lee, Executive Director

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